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AMERICAN CONSERVATORY THEATRE (A.C.T.)

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1. DEPT MUST ADHERE TO ESTABLISHED FOUR WEEK THREE CITY
SCHEDULE AS INITIALLY AGREED UPON WITH GOSK SUBSEQUENT TO
WHICH LEGAL COMMITMENT MADE TO A.C.T. BY DEPT. A.C.T.
SCHEDULE NOW FULLY DEVELOPED AROUND FOUR WEEK TOUR IN
SOVIET UNION. WE ENCOURAGE EMB'S INTEREST IN PURSUING
DISCUSSIONS WITH SUPAGIN ON SPECIFIC CONDITIONS RE EX-
CHANGE OF PAG'S AS SUCH EXCHANGE WITH SOVIETS COULD BE
WORTHWHILE.

2. SELECTION OF THEATERS (PROSCENIUM STAGE/SIMULTANEOUS
TRANSLATION EQUIPMENT-REFTEL D) MUST BE AGREED UPON PRIOR
ADVANCE TEAM'S VISIT. ADVANCE TEAM (2) VISIT SCHEDULED
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FOR ETA JANUARY 20 OR 21 ETD JANUARY 26 OR 27. REQUIRE

MINIMUM SIX DAY VISIT TO ACCOMPLISH A) INSPECTION
TECHNICAL DETAILS, LIGHTING AND SOUND SYSTEMS OF THEATERS,

B) DEVELOP FULL PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE, C) ESTABLISH FREE
DAYS WITHIN SCHEDULE, D) REACH AGREEMENT ON TIMING OF
TRANSPORT OF PROPERTIES WHICH EVOLVE AROUND SET-UP AND
STRIKE IN EACH THEATER, E) ARRANGE ACCOMODATIONS. ALL
DETAILS MUST BE AGREED UPON DURING ADVANCE VISIT FOR
INCORPORATION EMB CONTRACT WITH GOSK WITH APPROVAL FROM
DEPT ON COMPLETION ADVANCE VISIT. DURING U.S. VISIT
BUTROVA INFORMED A.C.T. SHE PLANNED LEND ASSISTANCE IN
EARLIEST SELECTION OF THEATERS. HOPEFUL THIS ASSISTANCE
FORTHCOMING. SETS FOR BOTH PLAYS MUST BE BUILT AFTER
ADVANCE TEAM'S INSPECTION OF THEATER SITES WHICH ELIMINA-
TES CONSIDERATION ADVANCE TEAM VISIT IN MARCH WHICH
REGRETTED IN LIGHT EMB'S WORKLOAD. ADVISE PRIORITY.

3. PLAN FURNISH TRAVEL DETAILS EARLY NEXT WEEK ALONG WITH
REQUIRED BIO DETAILS ON TWO MEMBERS. WILL APPLY FOR SOV
VISAS WEEK OF JANUARY 19. KISSINGER

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